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Sir:

Applicant(s), through the undersigned attorney, hereby
petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend
the time for responding to the Office Action dated March 11,
2004 for three months from June 11, 2004 to September 11, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$950.00 to cover the cost

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Respectfully submitted,

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